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EXCON FOR COMMERCE

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ESTC PL SZ

SUBJ: REQUEST BY DIGITAL EQUIPMENT CORP. FOR REEXPORT PERMIT

1. SWISS EXCON (MAX KRELL) HAS ASKED THE EMBASSY'S ASSISTANCE IN EXPEDITING A REQUEST BY THE DIGITAL EQUIPMENT CORPORATION (DEC) FOR PERMISSION TO REEXPORT A DIGITAL COMPUTER VALUED AT SWISS FRANCS 24,000. THE COMPUTER, WHICH WAS IMPORTED INTO SWITZERLAND UNDER SWISS BLUE NO. 193136 DATED NOVEMBER 1, 1973, HAS BEEN INCORPORATED INTO A LARGE METAL WORKING MACHINE (VALUE SWISS FRANCS 407,000) BUILT BY CHARMILLES SA, GENEVA, FOR A CUSTOMER IN POLAND. ACCORDING TO KRELL, THE US OFFICE OF THE DEC APPLIED TO EXCON WASHINGTON SOME TIME AGO FOR A REEXPORT AUTHORIZATION. THE MACHINE IS READY FOR SHIPMENT AND THE POLISH CUSTOMER IS THREATENING TO CANCEL THE ORDER IF THE MACHINE IS NOT RECEIVED IN THE NEXT FEW WEEKS. KRELL SAID THE SWISS EXCON IS READY TO ISSUE AN EXPORT LICENSE AS SOON AS THE EMBASSY INFORMS HIM THAT EXCON WASHINGTON HAS APPROVED REEXPORT OF THE COMPUTER.

2. ACTION REQUESTED: PLEASE INFORM EMBASSY BY CABLE OF THE STATUS OF THIS CASE.
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